AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

COMPLETE LISTING OF THE CLAIMS:

Claims 1-10 : (Canceled)

Claim 11 : (New) An image capture device for electro-optically reading indicia, comprising:

a) a housing bounding an interior and having an exterior front wall facing the indicia, and a light-transmissive window mounted on the exterior front wall;

b) an imaging module located within the interior of the housing and having an array of spaced-apart sensors for detecting incident light reflected from the indicia through the window over a field of view, and an internal light source for providing background illumination; and

c) a single pair of external light emitting diodes (LEDs) flanking the window and mounted on the exterior front wall of the housing, the LEDs being mounted in sleeves perpendicularly projecting past the window for additionally illuminating the indicia with additional illumination to generate a broad, brightly illuminated area in which the indicia is imaged.

Claim 12 : (New) The device of claim 11, wherein the housing includes a keyboard and a display and constitutes a data collection terminal.

Claim 13 : (New) The device of claim 11, and further comprising control means for detecting the ambient illumination, and for energizing the LEDs when the detected ambient illumination is below a threshold level.